

Jordanian Chapter of Epilepsy

2021-2022 Report

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CHALLENGES FACED IN 2021 AND 2022

Epilepsy surgery

FUTURE PLANS FOR 2023

- DBS
- Surgery
- EEG training for fellows

RESEARCH AND PUBLSIHED ARTICLES

- The Role of Clinical Pharmacist in Pediatrics' Adherence to Antiepileptic Drugs. Jarad S, Akour A, Khreisat WH, Elshammari AK, Madae'en S. *J Pharm Technol*. October 2022; 38(5):272-282. doi: 10.1177/87551225221097619.
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- Knowledge of and Attitude towards Epilepsy among the Jordanian Community. Abuhamdah SMA, Naser AY, Abualshaar MAR. *Healthcare* (Basel). 18 August 2022; 10(8):1567.
- Social impairment in children with epilepsy assessed by the social responsiveness scale. Aburahma SK, Hammouri H, Hazaimeh E, Jbarah O, Nassar A, Almasri A, Al Momani M, Bashtawi M. *Clin Child Psychol Psychiatry*. 26 October 2021 (4):1170-1181.
- Use of Innovative SPECT Techniques in the Presurgical Evaluation of Patients with Nonlesional Extratemporal Drug-Resistant Epilepsy. Yassin A, El-Salem K, Al-Mistarehi AH, Momani A, Zein Alaabdin AM, Shah P, Mountz JM, Bagić AI. *Mol Imaging*. 2 March 2021; 2021: 6614356
- Deep brain stimulation targets in epilepsy: Systematic review and meta-analysis of anterior and centromedian thalamic nuclei and hippocampus. Al-Kraimeen LM, Ababneh O, Yassin A. *Epilepsia*. July 2022 ;63(7):1883-188



MEETINGS

- Meeting at Dead Sea in May 2022
- Meeting at Jarash in September 2022





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Wednesday 3rd of August 2022

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